

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Joint committee on Finance

Senate Bill 170

Relating to: the Veterans Mortgage Loan Program, veterans tuition and fee reimbursement, authority for the Department of Veterans Affairs to acquire a headquarters building, departmental delivery of services to veterans, veterans personal loans, eligibility for burial at a veterans cemetery, part-time study grants for veterans, housing loans for veterans, mortgage loan repayment fund, grants to county veteran service offices, national guard tuition grants, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

By Senators Brown, Schultz, Zien, Welch, Decker, Stepp, S. Fitzgerald, A. Lasee, Roessler, Darling, George, Kedzie, Jauch, Kanavas, Breske, Wirch, Hansen, Leibham, Harsdorf, Carpenter, Plale and Lassa; cosponsored by Representatives Musser, Petrowski, Suder, Kreuser, Turner, Vrakas, Gronemus, Kreibich, Boyle, Pettis, Morris, Hahn, Owens, M. Lehman, Seratti, Balow, Miller, Young, Underheim, Travis, Montgomery, Bies, Hines, Rhoades, D. Meyer, Krawczyk, Kestell, Black, Ladwig, Loeffelholz, Johnsrud, Hebl, J. Fitzgerald, Ott, Freese, Townsend, Gunderson, Olsen, Van Roy, Wieckert, Stone, Ward, Hundertmark, Coggs, Nass, Schneider, Jeskewitz, Shilling, Huber, McCormick, Vukmir, J. Wood, Gundrum, Berceau, Kaufert, Plouff, Nischke, Richards, Zepnick, Towns, Huebsch, Colon and Sinicki.

October 22, 2003 Referred to Joint committee on Finance.

October 28, 2003 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (15) Senators Darling, S. Fitzgerald, Leibham, Lazich, Kanavas, Decker and Moore; Representatives Kaufert, Huebsch, Ward, Stone, Rhoades, D. Meyer, Coggs and Ziegelbauer.

Absent: (1) Senator Welch.

Moved by Senator S. Fitzgerald, seconded by Senator Kanavas that **Senate amendment LRB 1544/1 to Senate Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for introduction and adoption.

Ayes: (15) Senators Darling, S. Fitzgerald, Leibham, Lazich, Kanavas, Decker and Moore; Representatives Kaufert, Huebsch, Ward, Stone, Rhoades, D. Meyer, Coggs and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Senator Welch.

INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF SENATE
AMENDMENT LRB 1544/1 TO SENATE SUBSTITUTE
AMENDMENT 1 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 15, Noes 0

Moved by Senator S. Fitzgerald, seconded by Senator Kanavas that
**Senate amendment LRB 1546/1 to Senate Substitute
Amendment 1** be recommended for introduction and adoption.

Ayes: (15) Senators Darling, S. Fitzgerald, Leibham,
Lazich, Kanavas, Decker and Moore;
Representatives Kaufert, Huebsch, Ward,
Stone, Rhoades, D. Meyer, Coggs and
Ziegelbauer.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Senator Welch.

INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF SENATE
AMENDMENT LRB 1546/1 TO SENATE SUBSTITUTE
AMENDMENT 1 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 15, Noes 0

Moved by Senator S. Fitzgerald, seconded by Representative
Huebsch that **Senate Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended
for adoption.

Ayes: (15) Senators Darling, S. Fitzgerald, Leibham,
Lazich, Kanavas, Decker and Moore;
Representatives Kaufert, Huebsch, Ward,
Stone, Rhoades, D. Meyer, Coggs and
Ziegelbauer.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Senator Welch.

ADOPTION OF SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1
RECOMMENDED, Ayes 15, Noes 0

Moved by Senator S. Fitzgerald, seconded by Representative
Huebsch that **Senate Bill 170** be recommended for passage as
amended.

Ayes: (15) Senators Darling, S. Fitzgerald, Leibham,
Lazich, Kanavas, Decker and Moore;
Representatives Kaufert, Huebsch, Ward,
Stone, Rhoades, D. Meyer, Coggs and
Ziegelbauer.

Noes: (0) None.
Absent: (1) Senator Welch.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 15, Noes 0

Diane Harmelink
Committee Clerk